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Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction

Request For Religious Accommodation

To: Chaplain's Office

From: CECIL KOGER

Offender Name:	CECIL KOGER	Number:	384-698
Institution:	R.D.C.I.	Date:	4-26-18

1. What is the religion to which you belong?

Nyahbinghi Rastafari

2. What is the specific accommodation that you are requesting?

FOR Rastafari Mandates to be recognized and accommodated.
 growing of natural locks ITAL DIET (ORGANIC, Food vegetarian.
 (WEARING OF DREADS) OBSERVANCE / Reading material /
 TAH'S / KUFUS (RELIGIOUS HEAD WEAR) FASTING days / Holidays

3. What is the basis for your requested religious accommodation (How is your request supported by the writings or traditions of your religion)? THE REBRA NAGST, FECHA NAGST
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- THE BIBLE "Number 6 Vow of Nazarite" Rastafari Tenants
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- and mandates "Rastafari Thirty" written by Ras Antiques Elank

4. Who are the religious leaders who can verify this request (Please give address and phone numbers, if available)?

Ras I Adonis - LION OF Judah SOCIETY
 Ras Christopher LION TREE - Rastafari Universal ORDER
 Sister Imani Nyah, The Association of Rastafarian Theologians

Offender's Signature:	Cecil Koger	Date:	4-26-18
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Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
 Institution Religious Accommodation Review Committee

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Response To Request For Religious Accommodation Religious Services

Offender Name:	Cecil Koger	Number:	A-389698
Current Religious Affiliation:	Rastafarian	RE:	DRC4326 Dated: 05/27/2018

Chaplain Recommendation:

Inmate Koger has requested the following: 1) to grow his hair in locks, 2) to receive organic veggie and/or vegetarian meals (ital meals), 3) to have and wear religious head covering (tam), 4) to order Rastafarian literature and 5) to observe Rastafarian holidays and fast days. I recommend, Inmate Koger requests be referred to Chief Michael Davis, Religious Services Administrator.

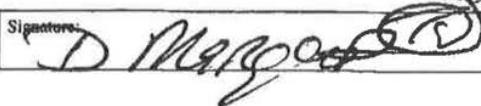
Chaplain's Signature:	Date: 05/31/2018
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Accommodation Review Committee Response:

concur with recommendation

(3) approved, must needs be held and
 (3) secondly regiments be white in color
 (1) stop oral

Committee Chairperson Signature:	Date: 6/5/18
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Warden's Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Refer to Reg. Religious Services Admin.	Comment <p>Refer to Religious Services Admin. (1) DRC does not allow religious attire for inmates. (2) DRC provides a reasonable meal accommodation.</p>
	Date: 6/5/18

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Request For Religious Accommodation

To: Chaplain's Office

From: Cecil Koger

Offender Name:	Cecil Koger	Number:	389-698
Institution:	R. C. I.	Date:	5-27-18

1. What is the religion to which you belong? Nyahbingi Rastafari

2. What is the specific accommodation that you are requesting?

To let my locs grow naturally

To have "It-ti"

To keep "Tam"

To have grounding and observance of Holidays and Fest Days

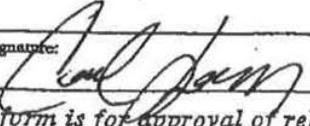
To get receive Titillaries

3. What is the basis for your requested religious accommodation (How is your request supported by the writings or traditions of your religion)? These are mandates for this Rastafari; It can be found in Rastafari history, Bible, Kabra Negus Father Negus as well as other older texts

4. Who are the religious leaders who can verify this request (Please give address and phone numbers, if available)? Ras Iodus of Lion of Judah Society

Ras Christopher I'on Tres of Rastafari Universal Order

Ras Sully and Ras J. Marley W.H. R.V.O.

Offender's Signature:	389-698	Date:
		5-27-18

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